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TITLE: FLAT FLOAT GLASS

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BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please enter the following Second Preliminary Amendment in order to place the above-cited application in better condition for examination. Please amend the application as follows, without prejudice.

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 1 through 11, and Claims 16 to 24, without prejudice.

Please add the following newly-presented Claims.

25. A method of making an intermediate flat float glass being configured to be prestressable, also being configured to be transformable into a glass-ceramic comprising high quartz mixed crystals, and also being configured to be transformable into a glass-ceramic comprising keatite mixed crystals, said intermediate flat float

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